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SUBJECT: KEY ISSUES AT 29TH UNGA: PREVENTION OF
ENVIRONMENTAL WARFARE

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1. RE PARA 3 REFTTEL, SOVIET AGENDA ITEM (DOC.A/9702) IS
ENTITLED "PROHIBITION OF ACTION TO INFLUENCE THE ENVIRON-
MENT AND CLIMATE FOR MILITARY AND OTHER PURPOSES IN-
COMPATIBLE WITH THE MAINTENANCE OF INTERNATIONAL SECURITY,
HUMAN WELL-BEING AND HEALTH."

2. YOU MAY INFORM BAUWENS THAT US GENERAL POLICY IN THIS
AREA IS OUTLINED IN US-SOVIET MOSCOW SUMMIT JOINT STATE-
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MENT OF JULY 3, 1974. SOVIET UNGA PROPOSAL IS BROADER

AND HAS NUMBER OF VAGUE AND CONFUSING ASPECTS WHICH REQUIRE CLARIFICATION. FOR EXAMPLE, SOVIET AGENDA TOPIC CITES "MILITARY AND OTHER PURPOSES", BUT PHRASE "OTHER PURPOSES" IS NOT EXPLAINED AND SOVIET LETTER CALLING FOR CONVENTION TO OUTLAW ACTIONS TO INFLUENCE THE ENVIRONMENT LISTS ONLY "FOR MILITARY PURPOSES". YOU MAY ALSO INFORM BAUWENS THAT WE EXPECT US-USSR BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS, AS CALLED FOR AT THE MOSCOW SUMMIT, WILL PRECEDE ACTIVE UN CONSIDERATION OF THIS SUBJECT AND THAT WE THUS WILL BE BETTER ABLE TO UNDERSTAND WHAT THE SOVIETS HAVE IN MIND. KISSINGER

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